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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RESOLVING WRAPAROUND AMBIGUITY IN A COUNTER

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Sir:

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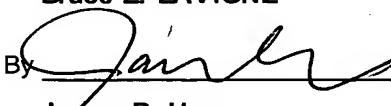
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TOTAL CLAIMS	12	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above referenced patent application. Please amend the above identified application as follows and consider the following remarks for allowance of the above identified patent application.